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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Lake Altoona Bedload Sediment Collector in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Lake Altoona Rehabilitation and Protection District, located at PO Box 92, Altoona, WI, 54720. The funding would be used to refurbish and install a bedload sediment collector system into the Eau Claire River. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the lake is a highly utilized recreational lake that impacts the local economy by driving tourism, home values, business, and industry.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300j-12.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "D. Van Orden".

DERRICK VAN ORDEN
Member of Congress